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Applicant : GIEFER
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For : SLOT COVER...
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION
RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

In response to the Final rejection dated March 11, 2002, please amend the above
identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIM:

Please cancel Claim 31 without prejudice.

REMARKS

Claim 31 has been canceled in order to remove the issues on appeal.